

THE WAR AND MARRIAGE; A NEW TYPE OF MORATORIUM

Jealous Husbands Fail to Recognize the Claims of Humanity When Their Wives Play Ministering Angels to Good-Looking Officers

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THE war has brought about many strange complications, not the least of which is a species of matrimonial moratorium, or figurative delay in payment!

France and elsewhere that the wives are all having a pretty good time of it just now, rushing around attending to the wants of wounded heroes and becoming quite frisky again.

"Neither do the girls," he continued, still in the same solemn strain. "Twelve months ago any maiden who signed on with the aid of the church knew pretty much what was expected of her."

MOYEN AGE LINES AGAIN IN VOGUE ON FALL COSTUMES

IT is consoling to note that there will be little change in the fashionable silhouette for fall.

The modified moyen age coat and street gown is also a notable feature of the autumn modes.

Today's illustration shows a plain but decidedly chic walking suit in black French broadcloth.

The coat accentuates what I have already said about the new fit lines. The rather decided flare at the bottom of the coat is a clever method of illustrating the curved waistline, without exaggerating it.

After drawing a thread from the skein pass it lightly between the tip of the first finger and the thumb to find out which way the twist runs.

Insert the thread in the eye of the needle so as to have the twist seem to run down from the needle. If the opposite end of the thread is inserted in the needle than the thread will be drawn through the lines against its twist, which causes roughness and knots.

Queer Dairies

SOME morning when the early milkman awakens you with his clatter, don't say, "Oh, dear, I wish they would deliver milk some other way!"

In many countries the milk is carried about in great covered buckets which are hung one on each side of oxen and in that way are carried to the homes where it is purchased.

But the strangest of all are the customers who get their milk from the country dairies on milk express trains.

Just imagine going to your door and saying to your milkman, "Stop a bit! I want milk from that third goat—yes, the one with the brown spots!"—wouldn't it seem funny?

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HANS HIMMER, 'CELLIST, WEARS THE IRON CROSS

Philadelphia Orchestra Member, in German Army, Hopes to Play Here This Winter



Hans Himmer, for 10 years one of the cellists of the Philadelphia Orchestra, who was one of the three orchestral members who failed to return to America when the European war broke out, has been badly wounded and has been made a vice corporal of the German Field Artillery and decorated with the Iron Cross for conspicuous bravery in action.

"My hope is now to be able to play in the first concert next season. I have already received a letter to the effect that I will be permitted to play in the orchestra of the winter to resume the place, which I filled for 10 years, in my dear Philadelphia Orchestra. This depends, of course, on my health."

"I am well and am proud and happy that I can fight for my fatherland. Since the latter part of August, 1914, I have been in the army, both in France and Flanders, and since the end of May I have been in Russia. On December 28, 1914, I was wounded and have not quite fully recovered yet."

MEN ALSO MENTIONED FOR EDUCATION BOARD

Murrell Dobbins, Former City Treasurer, and Bayard Henry Among Possibilities

While prominent Philadelphia women are being urged for membership in the Board of Education, the names of several men are also being suggested in political and educational circles.

A vacancy in the School Board exists through the death of William T. Tilden. It is expected that the Judges will soon name a man of common to succeed him. The terms of the members will expire in November, so that they will also be required to make new appointments then.

There are now no female members of the School Board. Among the women suggested for the honor are Mrs. Rudolph Blankenburg and Mrs. Edwin C. Grace. Murrell Dobbins, ex-City Treasurer, has also been mentioned as a possible successor of Mr. Tilden.

Mr. Dobbins was once a member of the Board of Education, but was obliged to resign because of his election to the City Treasury. From two distinct sources today came the report that Bayard Henry would in all probability be elected to the board.

Mr. Henry is active in educational affairs in Germantown. He is a director of the Pennsylvania Railroad, having been elected to that office last January to succeed N. Parker Shorridge.

X-RAY EXPLODES PILLS IN CHICKEN

Fowl Dives out Hospital Window When Operation Is Too Successful

Two little fellows wandered into St. Joseph's Hospital, today. One of them, his way into the accident ward, doubled up and squirming, the nurses thought, with pain.

"Please, lady, kin I see th' doctor right away?" "What's the matter?" asked the nurse. But the boy only squirmed and folded his arms still tighter over his middle.

"Please, doctor," sobbed the boy, producing a chicken hidden under his coat, when Doctor Burns appeared, "will you operate on him? He won't eat 'cause his leg's broke." Doctor Burns felt the bird, but could discover nothing wrong.

"Tell you what I'll do," he said, "I'll take an X-ray of the bird." So the assembly adjourned to the X-ray room. But the bird, balked at the table, for the metal. When he was in line the plate was snapped. But instead of sniffing at the pills the bird ate them. When the power from the X-ray went on the pills went off inside the chicken.

With a cry of despair it sailed straight for the window, taking glass and screen in its haste. It stretched down the alley, and its youthful owners, Roy Wintch, 6 years old, and Russel Hallowell, also 6, of Perkinson street, near Ridge avenue, are still following its trail.

MUSIC IN THE PARK

Band Plays at Strawberry Mansion Afternoon and Night

The Fairmont Park Band will play this afternoon and evening at Strawberry Mansion. The program:

- PART I—AFTERNOON, 4 TO 6 O'CLOCK. 1—Overture, "Mare Chouffeur".....Oschbach 2—Melodies from "Cavalleria Rusticana".....Puccini 3—(a) "Santo Spirito".....Tchakovsky (b) March, "The Chicago Boat".....Brooks 4—"A Summer Day in Norway".....Williams 5—Waltz from "Gipsy Love".....Lohar 6—"Nellie's Waltz".....Lohar 7—"Soft Dance".....Chaminade 8—Alto from "The Princess of Pilsen".....Bridget 9—"Star Spangled Banner".....Gilbert

MUSIC ON CITY HALL PLAZA

Philadelphia Band Will Play There Tonight

The Philadelphia Band will play on City Hall Plaza tonight. The program:

- 1. Overture, "Merry Wives of Windsor".....Mozart 2. (a) "The Mill in the Forest".....Eisenberg (b) "In the Woods".....Lohstein 3. Piccolo solo, "In the Woods".....Lohstein 4. Grand scenes from "Madama Butterfly".....Puccini 5. "Good Friday Spell" from "Parade".....Fajollet 6. Melodies from "The Wizard of the Nile".....Wagner 7. Voice of concert, "A Summer Evening".....Lohstein 8. Fantasia Hungarian.....Tobani

FAMILY OF NOTED HEALTH EXPERT

Dr. and Mrs. Harvey W. Wiley Have Vindicated Their Theories in Rearing of Their Children. Nature Their Unerring Guide



Mrs. Harvey W. Wiley, with sons, Harvey, Jr., and John Preston.

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STRANGEST EGG EVER SEEN BY THIS EXPERT

"Doc" Molony Will Preserve Specimen That Puzzled His Astonished Gaze

"Adam and Eve on a raft—w-r-r-ack 'em." The left hands of "Doc" Josh Molony, chief of the Inasmuch Mission, set about to execute the order his quick ear had caught. Mechanically he reached for a bowl with one hand and a couple of eggs with another.

A swish and then a splash as he cracked Humpty Dumpty on the side of the bowl and emptied its contents. As he raised his hand to break the other egg he looked into the bowl. Egg No. 2 dropped from his limp hand and splattered its contents over the floor.

The "Doc" dug through his crop of thick curly hair and scratched his head. He tilted the cup to the side, whistled a tuneless tune and then swore. Fortunately, Josh is a temperate man. He reassured himself by the thought that he had not been out late last night. To make sure that it was real, he dug the sharp point of a butcher's knife into the flesh of his finger. Yes, he was awake.

Then he cast his memory back over years gone by. Seven seasons in the kitchen of the Buffalo Bill Show and Ringling Brothers', opening from 20 to 300 dozen eggs every day. A few years in the railroad egg service. Chef at the Inasmuch.

What the deuce! Never had there been anything like this before in all of his 35 years in the business. He had seen double yolks, but never—he looked again. There was no room for doubt. Three yolks rested like so many islands in a white sea.

That isn't what the Doc thought, though. Three balls swirled in his thoughts. And these were so nicely gilded, beautifully balanced and of a uniform size, each about an inch in diameter. "Uncles I Have Known" was the theme in "Doc's" mind, and the residents of the

RIVER STEAMBOATS

This week offers the last of the real moonlight excursions of the season. There still will remain the enjoyable evening sails which are so useful after a hot day, but for a real sail on the water, you must go this week—on the big steel and iron steamers to

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WOMAN DETECTIVE SEEKS LOST TORCH

Suffrage Emblem to Be Hunted by a Mysterious Volunteer

Women detectives are on the trail of the suffrage torch of victory. A mysterious young woman, minus the usual woman detective's dark-hued veil, made her appearance at headquarters of the Woman Suffrage Party, 123 Chestnut street, today, and announced that she had several years' experience in detective work and would undertake to recover the suffrage torch of liberty which was recently stolen in New Jersey.

The stranger presented her credentials, and said she had been a suffrage torch detective and would undertake to recover the suffrage torch of liberty which was recently stolen in New Jersey.

It was announced today that the amount of the reward might be increased.

Mrs. O. B. Eisenbraun, of 181 South 5th street, has offered the services of her automobile to the Equal Franchise Society from September 1 on. The offer was made in response to an appeal which was made through the newspapers.

A meeting of the City Committee of the Woman Suffrage Party will be held at headquarters tonight. Dr. Eleanor M. Heistand Moore will preside. The object of the meeting will be to make plans for the suffrage booth at the Byberry Fair.

The Suffrage Liberty Bell, or "Justice Bell," will arrive in Philadelphia on October 12. It is planned to have it in the suffrage parade. Doctor Moore, chairman of the Feature Committee, announced today that the parade will be made up of many pretty girls, representing all the virtues and moral qualities. It will be on a float, which will be drawn by more than 50 suffragists in fancy costumes.

OPOSES "HOME STUDY"

Principal of Lower Merion High School Plans to Abolish It

Home school work will be entirely eliminated if the plans mapped out by Charles H. Pennypacker, principal of the Lower Merion High School, works successfully.

Under the new system which he desires to adopt a part of each school year will be devoted to study. There will be a slight increase in the length of the daily school session, but all work at home will be entirely eliminated, giving each pupil absolute rest from study outside the regular school hours.

Mr. Pennypacker believes that supervised study and the completion of the day's work on leaving school will have splendid results.

Will Greet Brumbaugh by Phone

HARRISBURG, Aug. 27.—The Bell Telephone Company has just issued invitations to several score of prominent Harrisburg people to participate in a transcontinental telephone celebration at 3 o'clock Wednesday, September 1, in the Governor's reception room of the State Capitol, when Governor Brumbaugh and his party, who are at the Panama-Pacific Exposition, will exchange messages with State officials and those assembled at Harrisburg.

How to Become Famous

Famous Pochontas? A famous Pochontas? Yes, sir. What reward was tendered? They named soft coal for her.

Old Father Pitt was upright. His ways were straight and prim. Yet look what sort of a city The folks named after him.

And one might mention Edison. Who surely men much admire. Yet the squawkier of his inventions Is the one that bears his name.

There was poor old Colonel Rickety. He got his, we should think. He will go down in history. As sponsor for a drink. —Exchange.

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